

Tenth Presbyterian C h u r c h

Dr. Philip G. Ryken
Senior Minister

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to whoever will come—*

*this church opens wide her doors
and offers her welcome in the name
of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

Morning Worship

Of Two Minds

Dr. Philip G. Ryken

Evening Worship

Who's in Charge Here?

Mr. Robert S. Polen

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Morning Worship

9:00/11:00 am

Prelude to Worship (8:55/10:55 am)

Bist du bei mir
Land of Rest

J. S. Bach/arr. W. Beeler
American Folk Melody/arr. E. Lutz
Westminster Brass

Announcements

Call to Worship

* The Doxology (Hymn 731)

Old Hundredth

* The Invocation

* Hymn 299

Coronae

Scripture Reading

Ruth 3:1–18 (page 223)

Prayer

(In the 9:00 service, a minister will go teach today's sermon to the elementary students.)

* Hymn 644

St. Leonards

(In the 11:00 service, children age 4–grade 2 may leave to attend their programs.)

Offering/Prayer

Offertory: Fairest Lord Jesus/The Lord's My Shepherd

Silesian Folk Melody/arr. T. Elliott
J. S. Irvine/arr. J. Innes, K. Laudermilch
Westminster Brass

Of Two Minds

Dr. Philip G. Ryken

“For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit set their minds on the things of the Spirit. For to set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace”—Romans 8:5–6 ESV.

Prayer

* Hymn 427

Hamburg

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Hymn 378

Morecambe

(Please remain seated while the Deacons' Offering is received)

* Benediction

* *Postlude:* Te Deum

M. A. Charpentier/arr. D. Wolff
Westminster Brass

* *Congregation standing*

The Lord's Supper

February 7, 2010

It is my solemn duty to warn the uninstructed, the profane, the scandalous, and those who secretly and impenitently live in any sin, not to approach the holy table lest they partake unworthily, not discerning the Lord's body, and so eat and drink condemnation to themselves. Nevertheless, this warning is not designed to keep the humble and contrite from the table of the Lord, as if the supper were for those who might be free from sin. On the contrary, we who are invited to the supper, coming as guilty and polluted sinners and without hope of eternal life apart from the grace of God in Christ, confess our dependence for pardon and cleansing upon the perfect sacrifice of Christ, base our hope of eternal life upon His perfect obedience and righteousness, and humbly resolve to deny ourselves, crucify our old natures, and follow Christ as becomes those who bear His name. Let us therefore, in accordance with the admonition of the apostle Paul, examine our minds and hearts to determine whether such discernment is ours, to the end that we may partake to the glory of God and to our growth in the grace of Christ.

Chapter IV, The Directory for the Public Worship of God (1647), "The Celebration of the Sacraments"

Deacons' Offering

February 7, 2010

The Deacons and Deaconesses administer the Deacons' Fund to meet needs of our church family. The Diaconate ministers in faithfulness and compassion, never revealing names, always alert and sensitive to emergencies and poverty. The care of the poor, the aged, and other suffering saints of God is a primary duty of all worthy stewardship. Providing for needy brethren is to love Christ Himself (Matthew 25:34–40). Give generously that we might share with those in our church family in times of need.

Project of the Month

February 2010

Bethany Christian Services

Bethany Christian Services manifests the love and compassion of Jesus Christ by protecting and enhancing the lives of children and families through quality social services. It is a not-for-profit, pro-life, Christian adoption and family services agency. With over seventy-five locations nationwide and international ministries in fifteen other countries, Bethany touches the lives of more than 30,000 people each year. Bethany is widely known as an adoption agency, but its Christian care extends to people struggling with unplanned pregnancies, infertility, and a multitude of other challenges. For more than fifty-five years, Bethany has responded with compassion, integrity, and commitment to the needs of children and families.



Donations for the Project of the Month (cash or checks designated to the ministry on the memo line) may be placed in one of the oak boxes at the Sanctuary entrances.

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TenthWeek

Jan. 31–Feb. 7, 2010

- Sunday** 9/11 am Children's & Adult Bible School
9/11 am Dr. Philip G. Ryken, preaching "Of Two Minds" (Romans 8:5–6)
10:20 am Men's Choir, Choir Loft
10:30 am Women's Chorus, Fellowship Hall West
11:00 am Tenth International Fellowship Worship, Warwick Hotel, 17th & Locust
12:40 pm City College & Career, Fellowship Hall
12:45 pm Tenth Healthcare Fellowship, Catacombs
4:00 pm Fellowship Bible Study, Catacombs
4:45 pm *Sinfonia Sacra*, Fellowship Hall
5:15 pm Tenth Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft
5:30 pm Global Outreach Prayer Meeting, 3West
5:45 pm Maranatha, Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm *Schola Cantorum*, 315 S. 17th St.
6:15 pm *Soli Deo Gloria*: Samuel Hsu, piano
6:30 pm  Mr. Robert S. Polen, preaching, "Who's in Charge Here?"
(Mark 1:21–28)
- Monday** 6:30 pm Tenth Choir Rehearsal
- Tuesday** 7:00 pm Men's Career Prayer Group, 1West
- Friday** 7:30 pm Tenth Concert Series, Sanctuary
- Saturday** 8:30 am Prison Ministry Training, 1West
- Sunday** 9/11 am Children's & Adult Bible School
9/11 am Dr. Philip G. Ryken, preaching "Total Inability" (Romans 8:7–8)
10:20 am Men's Choir, Choir Loft
10:30 am Women's Chorus, Fellowship Hall West
11:00 am Tenth International Fellowship Worship, Warwick Hotel, 17th & Locust
12:40 pm City College & Career, Catacombs
1:00 pm Community Dinner, Fellowship Hall
4:00 pm Prayer for the Persecuted Church, Nursery South
4:45 pm *Sinfonia Sacra*, Fellowship Hall
5:15 pm Tenth Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft
5:30 pm Global Outreach Prayer Meeting, 3West
5:45 pm Maranatha, Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm *Schola Cantorum*, 315 S. 17th St.
6:15 pm *Soli Deo Gloria*: Gary Seydell, tenor
6:30 pm  Dr. Paul D. Tripp, preaching, "Why Jesus Came"
(Mark 1:29–39)

Sex in the City (Urban Ministry Conference)

By Anne Davies, City Outreach Coordinator

We live in an over-sexed culture. Wherever we look, wherever we go, sex is all around us. And even if we could somehow get away from the billboards, the media, the culture, we would still struggle—because, just like other sins, sex is ultimately a struggle of the heart.

Christians can be scared to talk about sex—maybe it makes us uncomfortable; maybe we don't want to be honest about the temptations we face; or maybe we are afraid of what others will say if they knew what sexual sins we have committed. Each of us probably knows someone who has committed or been directly affected by sexual sin, and we're probably not sure how to talk to them about it. Sexual sin impacts each of our lives in some way or another.

Praise God that this isn't the end of the story! Because of Christ we have the gift of forgiveness; through the Holy Spirit, we have the hope of living a renewed and transformed life. We can often feel overwhelmed when we think about the sinfulness of our own hearts, but God's grace is sufficient for the temptations we face.

This year's Urban Ministry Conference will address this issue of "Sex in the City," as Joshua Harris and John Freeman explore God's calling to live a life of sexual purity and offer hope in and through the gospel of Jesus Christ. The workshops (led by the staff of HarvestUSA) will offer practical advice on how to confront specific areas of sexual temptation and struggle. Workshop topics include sexual abuse, same-sex attraction, singleness, and the role of the church in dealing with sexual sin. More detailed descriptions of each workshop are available at umc.tenth.org.

Adults aren't the only ones who face these temptations. In fact, teenagers have increasingly become a prime target for sexual pressure. With this in mind, we have invited local Christian high schools to participate during the day on Friday in a pre-conference geared specifically to teenagers. Dave White and Ellen Dykas from HarvestUSA will speak to the high schoolers, and then with several other staff will facilitate gender-specific breakout groups to allow for more open and honest conversation. Doug Logan will also be leading a teen track during the main conference itself. Our goal is to equip young people with truth in their fight for purity and devotion to Christ.

If you haven't done so already, please set aside the weekend of March 5–7 so you can attend the Urban Ministry Conference. Please be praying for the preparations for the pre-conference and conference; pray that many people would come and that they would be encouraged by the hope offered in the gospel for each area of life, but particularly in the area of sexual sin. If you would like to volunteer to help with either the pre-conference or the main conference, email Anne at adavies@tenth.org.

Sexual sin often makes us feel embarrassed and sometimes hopeless, yet power over this struggle can be found in Christ. We hope you'll join us for an encouraging and challenging weekend of learning what God's Word has to say about this crucial area of life. For more information and to register, please visit umc.tenth.org. Also check out the blog related to this conference: link from www.tenth.org or umc.tenth.org.

We hope to see you at the conference in a few weeks!

TenthNews

Welcome

[An edited version of the bulletin is posted on the website.]

Welcome to our visitors. We are delighted to have you worship with us. Information in the lobbies and at www.tenth.org will help you learn about the church. Please introduce yourself to those seated near you and to one of our ministers in the Narthex after the service. Between morning services, we invite you to Reception Hall for light refreshments.

Kingdom Discipleship

Serving on the platform: 9:00 am—Carroll Wynne, Jonathan Olsen; 11:00 am—Marion Clark, Jonny McGreevy; 6:30 pm—Phil Ryken, Doug Logan.

Praise God for:

- The marriage of Caleb Knedlik and Janine van Vliet on February 6.
- Elianna Olsen's good test results and good progress; she remains hospitalized.
- Full-time employment for Thom Lehman; the family's awareness of God's presence and provision, regardless of circumstances.
- Paul Graves' new job as a systems analyst/programmer in Maryland. Paul and Irenay have already moved.

Pray for:

- Bryan Glass and his family as they mourn the death of his father, Harry Glass, on January 16.
- Paul Tripp as he speaks at a counseling conference in Indiana this week and a marriage conference next weekend in California.

The Tenth International Fellowship worship service is held at the Warwick Hotel on Sundays at 11:00 am. Americans and internationals alike are welcome at TIF.

Join Tenth's prayer meetings:

- The Global Outreach Prayer Meeting meets today, 5:30–6:15 pm, in Delancey 3West.
- The Prayer for Evangelism group meets Fridays, 12:15–12:45 pm, in 2East—please submit evangelism prayer requests to Cora at chogue@tenth.org.

Maranatha Winter Retreat registration is due today. Register students with leaders in Reception Hall following all three worship services. Payment due is \$100; you may also obtain the necessary paperwork and information on scholarships.

Maranatha Missions applications for summer teams are due today and should be placed in Jonny's mailbox. For more information or to notify us of lateness, students must speak to Jonny or Dora today.

Tenth Homeschool Moms will have their next prayer meeting on Tuesday, February 9, 7:30 pm, at the Duggans. Contact Sylvia for more information.

Bridge Builders will meet on February 21 for luncheon at 1:00 pm (\$4 donation suggested) in Fellowship Hall East. George McFarland will continue with the Beatitudes, speaking on "blessed are the pure in heart."

A new Center City Bible study group will begin Tuesday, February 23, and meet every other week at 16th and Spruce. Contact John and Kirsten DeVries.

The next Preparation for Marriage Class, required before being married at Tenth begins March 14. If you plan to get married before December, you need to take the spring class; it is not offered in the summer. There is a fee; pre-registration is necessary; contact Cora, x232 or chogue@tenth.org.

The next membership class (required for membership at Tenth) begins Sunday, March 14, 9:00 am, at 315 S. 17th Street, 3F. Contact Christina at ccorbett@tenth.org or x246.

If you missed seeing the PCA Special Needs video featuring some of Tenth's members, link to it on YouTube from www.tenth.org.

If you would like to assist the diaconate in Sunday worship, email Russ Pfeifer.

City Outreach

Praise God for:

- The addition of Carol Kennedy to the staff of Children's Jubilee Fund as Office Manager. Pray for schools that are struggling financially because of lower enrollment and gift income.
- Bill Langford's many years of service as treasurer for Alpha Pregnancy Services. Pray for the provision of a new treasurer for Alpha.

Citycollege&career meets at 12:30 pm in Fellowship Hall (Catacombs on second Sundays) for lunch and a study on the Lord's Prayer. College and post-grad students and young adults are welcome. Contact Anne at adavies@tenth.org or x243 for more information.

"Sundays on Christian Street" will not meet today. They still need indoor space for cold months.

Come join the Tenth Healthcare Fellowship today at 12:45 pm in the Catacombs for lunch, prayer, and fellowship. Steven Munz of City Line Church will be speaking on "Healthcare and the True Human."

Learn how to prevent Compassion Fatigue this Saturday, February 13, 9:30–12:30, at Tenth. Also featured is Teen Challenge's Rick Dodridge speaking on "Addiction and Grace." Contact David at dapple@tenth.org or mail \$20 registration to Tenth (check made out to The Clergy Committee).

If you live in Parish 1, come watch the Winter Olympics with other Tenth attendees who live in your neighborhood! We'll meet at 6:00 pm on Friday, February 19, at the Fox & Hound restaurant on 15th and Spruce. Contact Troy Woolley with questions.

The annual Urban Ministry Conference is March 5–7. The topic is "Sex in the City," and Joshua Harris, John Freeman, and staff members from Harvest USA will speak about the hope offered in the gospel for this significant, and often difficult, area of life.

In conjunction with the 2010 Urban Ministry Conference, "Sex in the City," the members of the Tenth pastoral staff and members of HarvestUSA are blogging about issues of sexuality in our culture. The blog can be accessed at <http://passionpurity2010.blogspot.com>.

Volunteers are needed for the weekend of the Urban Ministry Conference. Those who volunteer for the conference will receive free registration. Contact Anne Davies at adavies@tenth.org or x243 if you would like to help.

Fellowship Bible Study (West) needs men to help share the Word with our homeless neighbors. Contact Kevin Little at kevinlittle2@me.com. FBS meets at Woodland Pres., 42nd and Pine, in West Philly.

The 2010 Philadelphia Conference on Reformed Theology is April 30–May 2 "These Last Days: A Christian View of History." Speakers will be D. A. Carson, Sinclair Ferguson, Michael Horton, Philip Ryken, and Cornel Venema. Contact 215.546.3696 or go to www.alliancenet.org.

Philadelphia-Montgomery Christian Academy (Grades Pre-K–12) invites you to a Winter Tour on February 11 (snow date: February 18). Tours leave promptly at 9:00 am. Contact the Admissions Office at 215.233.0782, Ext. 408 or admissions@phil-mont.com.

Global Outreach

Praise God for:

- Blessing Anne with Herly, a good friend with whom she spent Christmas. Pray for encouragement and good health for Anne in this coming year.
- Encouraging reports from a mobilization conference at Neil and Wannee's agency. Praise God that the gospel is bearing fruit and growing among least-reached peoples in East Asia.
- A signed contract for a new international clinic that provides medical care for the poor in China. Pray that all doctors involved receive their medical licenses quickly.

Pray for:

- Sebastien Demoiny, who is going to Haiti on a medical mission trip February 10–19.
- Upcoming evangelistic meetings in Juba, Sudan. Pray for African Enterprise Foxfire youth evangelists as they prepare to reach Sudanese youth with the gospel
- Safe journey for John and Nell Evans as they return this week from encouraging church-planters in the Texas/Mexico border area.
- Arabic-speaking seekers to participate in a study on the life of Jesus, led by Dennis and Judy.
- Steve as he preaches next Sunday to local believers and for Betsy as she grieves the loss of two friendships.
- The country of Niger, expecting widespread famine that will affect eight million people in the next months. Pray that God's people there, though few, will be a blessing.

Global Outreach needs childcare on February 14, 1:00–4:00 pm, for children of prospective short-term or career global partners. Lunch will be provided. Contact Lori Kempen.

Contributions to Haiti relief through Tenth will benefit Doors of Hope, an orphanage serving an increased population.

Donations to the 2010 Liberia short-term trip are being accepted. Please note "Liberia trip 2010" on the memo line of your check.

Representatives from the International Visitors Council will be in Reception Hall after the 11:00 am service today. Meet Ann Stauffer and Ginny Toliver to learn how you can show hospitality to influential leaders during their visits to Philadelphia.

Operations

The trustees report the following totals for 2010 giving through January 31:

	2009 Giving	2010 Giving	2010 Budget	2010 Difference
Outreach (YTD)	72,036	70,834	91,850	(21,016)
Church Ministry (1/31/10)	38,489	32,092	39,126	(7,033)
Church Ministry (YTD)	161,613	160,004	195,629	(35,625)
Building (YTD)	19,234	16,865	20,673	(3,808)

The Alpha Pregnancy Center Project of the Month Offering as of January 31 was \$2,308.

Contribution statements for 2009 have been mailed. If you find a discrepancy or did not receive your statement, please contact Carol Kennedy at ckennedy@tenth.org.

Please do not put feet on the upholstered edges of the side balconies.

Last week carpeting was finished in the west balcony and east stairs. The east balcony will be carpeted this week. Tile work proceeds in the center aisle.

Snow team volunteers are needed to keep the church walks and steps snow- and ice-free this winter. We need helpers, especially from Parish 1, to assist our sextons. Please contact sexton supervisor Carl Staico at cstaico@tenth.org to sign up.

Adult Classes

9:00 am

Doctrines of Grace, Fellowship Hall West

Fiscal Fitness, 315 S. 17th Street, 3Front

The System in the Story, 315 S. 17th Street, 1Rear

TIF Class: English Bible Class (9:30–10:45), 315 South 17th Street, 2Middle and BasementFront

Portrait of a Struggle, 315 South 17th Street, 3Rear

Foundations of Marriage, 1740 Addison Street

11:00 am

The Christian and the Media, 315 S. 17th Street, 1Rear

Tenth International Fellowship, Radisson Warwick Hotel

Preparation for Marriage, 315 South 17th Street, 2Rear

12:30 pm

City College & Career: The Lord's Prayer, Fellowship Hall; Catacombs Assembly Hall

5:00 pm

New Members Orientation, 1701 Delancey St., 1West

Children & Youth Classes

9:00 am

2–24 Months, Reception Hall Drop-Off Desk

2-Year-Olds (born 9/1/06–8/31/07), 1717 Delancey Street

3-Year-Olds, A–L (born 9/1/05–8/31/06), Middle Building Basement, B1

3-Year-Olds, M–Z (born 9/1/05–8/31/06), Middle Building Basement, B4

4-Year-Olds (born 9/1/04–8/31/05), Middle Building Basement, B2

5-Year-Olds (born 9/1/03–8/31/04), Middle Building Basement, B3

Special Needs (ages 3–8), Middle Building Basement, B5

Grades 1–3, Catacombs Assembly Hall

Grades 4–6, Fellowship Hall East

Grades 7–8, 315 South 17th Street, 2Rear

Grades 9–10, 1701 Delancey Street, 4East

Grades 11–12, 1935 Pine Street

11:00 am

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3-Year-Olds, A–L (born 9/1/05–8/31/06), Middle Building Basement, B1

3-Year-Olds, M–Z (born 9/1/05–8/31/06), Middle Building Basement, B4

Ages 4–5 (4's and 5's @ 11; leave Worship Service during second hymn), Fellowship Hall

Grades 1–2 (leave Worship Service during second hymn), Middle Building Basement, B2–B3

Grades 3–12 attend the Worship Service, Sanctuary

Evening

Sinfonia Sacra, Fellowship Hall (4:45 pm)

Grades 1–6 (Schola Cantorum), 315 South 17th Street (6:00 pm)

2 Months–Age 2, Reception Hall Drop-Off Desk (6:30 pm)

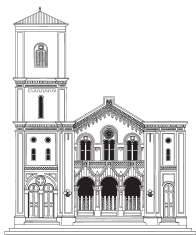
3-Year-Olds, Middle Building Basement, B1

Ages 4–5, Middle Building Basement, B2

Grades 7–12 (Maranatha, Tenth's youth group), Fellowship Hall (6:15 pm)

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Services

- 9:00 am:** Bible school classes for children
9:00/11:00 am: Bible school classes for adults
9:00/11:00 am: Morning worship*
11:00 am: Children's programs
6:30 pm: Evening worship

*Visitors' reception and coffee hour between the morning worship services in Reception Hall—all are welcome!

Parking

On-street parking locations are listed on the back of an *Attending Services* placard, which must be used in car windows and is available in our lobbies. Reduced rate lots are at 17th and Pine (\$6 with placard displayed; Sunday morning only) and between 17th and 18th on South Street (\$5 with ticket stamped in Narthex or Delancey Lobby).

Nursery/Children

Our Nursery is open during all services and welcomes children, age 2–36 months. In addition, we welcome older children in various programs during our Sunday services. Details are inside this bulletin panel or in our Bible School brochure, available in the lobbies.

CDs/Bookstore

Sermon CDs are available in the bookstore (Catacombs Room #1) in subsequent weeks. Books by Tenth ministers and other authors are carried in the bookstore, as are Tenth music CDs. The bookstore is open Sundays after all services.

Radio/Internet

All services are webcast live—link from www.tenth.org, where one can also link to archived services and concerts. *Every Last Word* with Dr. Philip G. Ryken is online at www.everylastword.org and aired on WFIL (560 AM) Sundays at 9 am. Dr. Ryken also contributes to the web journal *Reformation21* at www.reformation21.org. *The Bible Study Hour* with former Senior Minister Dr. James M. Boice is online at www.thebiblestudyhour.org or on the radio Saturday and Sunday at 10:00 am on WCHR (920 AM), Sunday at 7:30 am on WVCH (740 AM), and Sunday at 9:30 am on WFIL (560 AM). *Dr. Barnhouse & the Bible* airs Sundays at 10:00 am and 4:00 pm on WVCH 740 AM, Monday—Friday at 3:30 pm and 10:30 am on Saturday on WCHR, 920 AM, and Tuesday—Saturday at 2:30 am on WTMR 800 AM.

About Tenth

We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America adhering to the authority of Scripture and confessing the doctrine contained in the Westminster Standards. Tenth was founded in 1829, its present structure designed by John McArthur Jr., and built in 1855–1857.

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